

## SEIZE PACKER'S OFFICE FILES WARRANTS CHARGE FELONIES

### LIST OF DRAFTED MEN IN CLASS 1

**Very Few Exemptions Made by the  
Local Draft Board in Recent Ex-  
aminations of Drafted Men**

**Several Business Men so Listed Have Disposed  
of Their Holdings to be in Readiness for Call**

The local draft board has given out a list of men in Class 1. Included in it are several business men who have disposed of their holdings so as to be in readiness for the call of their country.

Jerome Richard Spiering was formerly superintendent of the Brainerd Gas & Electric Co., resigning three months ago to be ready for the call.

J. O. Marcetich has a big grocery store in Ironton and has sold the same. Arthur Joseph Turcotte is a member of the grocery firm of Turcotte Brothers.

Arthur Thon is a member of the Northeast Brainerd grocery firm of Swanson & Thon.

Samuel B. English is the manager of the Brainerd Model Laundry.

Edward Monroe Elder is a well known Brainerd boy. Joseph Martin Russ, Jr., played baseball on the Iron-ton team.

The names follow:

William Hamdorf,  
Jerome Richard Spiering  
Raymond Philip Leibold  
Hjalmer Backlund  
John Henry Schmidt  
Willard Charles Van Keuren  
Windsor Boyce  
Robert Joseph Mayhen  
Amos Bradford Babcock  
Christ T. Berg  
Joseph Oatso Marcetich  
Delbert Chienoweth  
Andrew Powl  
Frank Caron  
George Wm. Webber  
Andrew Anderson  
John Marcos  
Leo Bukowski  
Mike Salatin  
Urho Rantanen  
Henry August Tempin  
Joseph Martin Russ, Jr.  
Ingerman Anderson  
Lawrence Hilbert Mattson  
Max E. Schirli  
Geo. Syreen  
Alfred Rushmeyer  
Warner Cain  
Melvin Anthony Gordon  
Matte Elsel, Jr.  
Fred Adolph Ludwig  
Wm. Henry Helbert  
John Barnard Passe  
John H. Schultz  
Edward Henry Beneke  
Alfred Blomberg  
Hjalmer Hogstrom  
Harold Lawrence Bratvold  
Joseph Carlson  
Peter Prendergast  
Eugene Chester Holmes  
Christ Manolls  
Charles E. Schultz  
Louis Rudolph Nelson  
Geo. Waldemar Erickson  
Harland Tollefson  
Joseph Bolder  
Oscar Peterson  
William John Elmer  
Frederick Sheridan Hazelton  
Arthur Thon  
Arthur Joseph Turcotte  
Walter Geo. Kaupp  
Alex Kinnunen  
Delora Le Blanc  
Edward James Grew  
Arthur Fisher  
Ray N. Young  
Edward Monroe Elder  
Edwin Julius Ellingson  
Adolph Frushek  
Carl Wm. Anderson  
Frederick John Sargeant  
Ernest Louis Imgrund  
Floyd Raymond Anderson  
Joseph Shefflin  
Wm. McKinley Jones  
Albert Morris Lind  
John Larson  
Axel Carl Geo. Carlson  
Alfred H. Fellerman  
Arthur Cornelius Bundy  
Rekkard Lauderud  
Geo. Paul Allen  
Harry Peterson  
Edwin John Erickson  
Howard Edward Mahood  
Curtis Ray Strong  
Hugo Erickson  
Wm. Mose LeMire  
Carl Frederick Johnson  
Ansel Irwin Sandberg

Leo Horn Backman  
Mark Anthony Buchanan  
Clarkson Young  
Nels Hatten  
Leonard Kortekaas  
Vito Cimluti  
E. C. Olson  
Leo Marlu  
Antonio Disavio  
Charley A. Norton  
Hugh Berchard Buchite  
Samuel B. English  
Ludwig Anderson  
John Henry Voigt  
Harold Lee Benedict  
Melvin Frederick Stropp  
Virgil John Taylor  
Ellis Walter Enlund  
Walter Henry Elser  
Edward Wallace McCulloch  
Samuel Edward Schultz  
Elmer V. Nelson  
Geo. W. Mark

A further list of names of men whose cases are now being considered by the district board, of others to be re-examined, etc., will soon be given out, when the results are known, completing the list of men in Class 1.

### Russians Storehouses Germans Counted are Still Unlocked

By Lowell Mellette, U. P. Cor.

London, Feb. 5.—The secret knowledge which the British government had regarding the conditions in Germany may have influenced the uncompromising attitude by the inter-allied council at Versailles. The Russian storehouses upon which the Germans counted are still unlocked. Germany's plight is indicated by her recent order that no relatives in Germany would be permitted to send parcels of food to German prisoners held in France and England. Diseases on account of undernourishment is increasing and discontent is evident among all classes.

### Mailed Fist Won Against Striking German Workers

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 5.—The German mailed fist won against the striking workers as the United Press predicted a majority of the workers having returned and the strong arm will be used more than ever. This was always Germany's diplomatic weapon. Germany was threatened with guns from without and was forced to use guns upon her own people within to make them work. The officials see in this possibilities of promising events in the future.

### Unless Released the British Will Use Reprisals

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 5.—England through Holland has protested to Germany against the sentence of two British aviators to ten years imprisonment for dropping propaganda literature over the German empire, the London Mail asserts, and unless the aviators are released the British will use reprisals.

M. JEANNEY  
New Minister of war for France  
well known statesman.



Most recent photograph of M. Jeanney, the new French minister of war and noted statesman, who is expected to introduce new ideas for an effective prosecution of the war against the Central Powers.

### Says War Has Cost Germany 2,600,000 Dead and Crippled

(By United Press)

Zurich, Feb. 5.—"The war has cost Germany 1,300,000 in dead and as many more wholly or partially incapacitated," Social Minister Segitz said in addressing the Bavarian diet, according to dispatches.

### Strikers Throw Bombs Against Imperial Palace

Geneva, Feb. 5.—Strikers threw bombs against the Imperial palace at Berlin according to dispatches received by the Journal Degenève, but no details were given.

SEIZE SWIFT'S FILES  
CHARGE PACKERS WITH  
FELONIES IN WARRANTS

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Armed with search warrants Special Counsel Heney of the federal trade commission, seized Swift & Co.'s files at the offices of their Attorney Veeder and Federal Judge Landis has issued warrants charging that Armour, Swift, Cudahy and Wilson combined on meat bids for supply of the American military forces, this and false entries in the books and illegal combinations in the control of supplies, fish, vegetables, fruits, eggs, butter and oleomargarine are called felonies in the warrant.

### America Hungry for Revenge Many Wounded

By J. W. Pegler, U. P. Cor.

With the American armies in France, Feb. 5.—The Americans are hungry for revenge for the baptism of big shells the Samuels have just received from the Germans and has whetted their appetites. Many were wounded during the encounter but returned to their posts hoping that the Germans would return.

### End of War is Not in Sight

Washington, Feb. 5.—"A lack of vision has stalled America's war machine," was the charge made in the senate by Senator Wadsworth. He said "a greater breakdown than the one we now suffer is threatened unless some directing agency is created. I hold to the contention that the end of the war is not sighted and that we shall travel a long, hard road before reaching the goal. We must send more troops, transport them and food, produce more food and build more ships."

GEN. PEYTON C. MARCH

Slated to become acting chief of staff of army.



General Peyton C. March is slated to become acting chief of staff of the army if General Pershing can spare him from his present duties as chief of the expeditionary forces. General March graduated from the United States Military academy in 1885. He has seen service in the Philippines.

### Women Missing After Fire in Elwood Hotel

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—Two women are missing after a disastrous fire which started in the Riverview hotel in Elwood, a suburb, and spread doing damage to the extent of \$175,000.

### Is Getting Warmer

St. Paul, Feb. 5.—Warmer temperature prevails through the northwest, Medicine Hat, Alberta, reporting 42 above and some points as high as 48. Rain is falling in Montana.

### COUNCIL AUTHORIZES \$5000 ELECTRIC PUMP

**Present High Coal Cost Represents  
\$10,000 Waste Annually, Saved  
by Using Electricity**

**Police, Fire Truck Drivers, Clerk, Attorney  
and City Engineer Voted Raise in  
Wages by Council**

When the city council last night authorized the Water & Light Board to spend \$5000 for the purchase of electric pumps and the installation of the same, one important step was taken toward the introduction of a new water system for Brainerd.

If it were only the source of supply and the building and equipping of a power plant that would be involved, Brainerd would have a brand new plant within a few months. But most important is a new pipe-line system; as this will involve miles of new pipe, considerable money will be required and a bond issue will have to be voted.

The high cost of coal has made the present plant worse than an expensive luxury and at the rate of loss due to cost of coal alone, about \$10,000 would be thrown away annually. Also, the old pump is practically through doing its work, which causes an excessive use of coal.

The Board has complete plans for a new electric plant, but until this can be introduced into service much time will pass. Meantime the new pumps will be purchased and set up in the old plant and the old pumps will be scrapped. When the new plant is built the new pumps will be taken out again and moved to the site and put into service there.

The purchase consists of 2-1000 gallon centrifugal pumps each direct connected to a 75 h. p. motor, and together will cost about \$3000. Nine companies bid on the equipment; the Allis-Chalmers Co. of Milwaukee, being the lowest bidder. The Water & Light Board is now requesting the U. S. Government to make this order a priority order and enable the manufacturer to make quicker delivery as this change in machinery will mean the saving of over 200 tons of coal a month. It is the opinion of the state fuel director that Brainerd has the best of reasons for obtaining a priority order.

The council met in regular session Monday evening, all members being present except Alderman Turcotte and President F. M. Koop. Vice President Andrew Anderson presided. The report of the city clerk, Anton

Mahum, filed and accepted, showed receipts of \$3,264.50 and disbursements of \$6,984.63 for January.

The report of the chief of police, John D. Gile, recorded 10 arrests in January. There were 4 for drunkenness, 3 for assault and battery, 3 as nuisances, \$45 in fines was collected.

A communication from Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the U. S. Shipping Board, directed to Mayor Belse and by him referred to the city council was read and ordered filed. This letter urges a plan for cooperation in an immediate organization of the U. S. Shipyard volunteers of the Public Service Reserve.

Aldermen Lyons and Stallman, on motion carried, moved that the chief of police be required to inspect basements, within the fire limits and hereafter make a monthly report of the condition prevailing. Alderman Lyons has been active in proposing an era of clean basements in Brainerd.

The bond of the Sherlund Co., sewer contractors was accepted.

Ordinance No. 291, enlarging sewer district No. 4 and changing its south boundary, was given its first reading.

Wages were raised \$10 a month for police department, truck drivers, clerk and attorney dating from January 1st of this year. The city engineer was raised from \$1,800 to \$2,000 a year, also dating from January 1.

Residents of South Seventh street filed a petition for an eight inch sewer beginning at Seventh Street South and Sycamore streets and running north to the manhole at Seventh and Quince streets, length of sewer two blocks. No action was taken.

A resolution was adopted setting aside assessments for concrete paving of certain blocks on North Broadway, Seventh street, Bluff avenue, Holly and Fir streets, as being inadequate, irregular and defective and that new assessments for the payment of such improvements be assessed against the abutting property.

The usual number of routine bills were allowed and ordered paid.

### Militarism Is Supreme in the Central Empire

By Ed. L. Keen, U. P. Cor.

London, Feb. 5.—German militaryism is still supreme in the Central Empire, and its iron heel has practically crushed out the last vestige of resistance by starving the enslaved common people, who cowed by threats of the firing squad and fearful of the fate of their women and children, through the reduction of the already meagre rations the protesting workers have practically all returned to work at the factories, there being only isolated cases of resistance and at Jena where a third of the workers are still out.

### Yankee Barrage Repulse Germans

(By United Press)

With the Americans allied, Feb. 5.—Yankee barrage repulsed several German attacks yesterday.

### Heatless Mondays Under Discussion

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 5.—Secretary McAdoo and Fuel Administrator Garfield conferred this afternoon about discontinuing heatless Mondays, the former wanting the order lifted, larger business making the most insistent demands.

Heatless Mondays Continue  
Washington, Feb. 5.—Heatless Mondays will continue indefinitely, it is unofficially stated following the Garfield-McAdoo conference.

### McAdoo Probes Conditions

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 5.—Railroad Director McAdoo began probing the financial condition of the railways and has issued orders that all roads must report the cash in banks, outstanding obligations and details indicating their present financial conditions.



This photograph is believed to show why Fuel Administrator Garfield decreed five coalless days and ten coalless Mondays. It shows French people in the streets of Paris actually buying wood by the pound. The dealer has several small sticks of wood on his scales, while men and women buyers point to pieces they want. Such a condition in Paris, it is thought, made it important for ship loads of coal to leave America at once. By cutting off the American supply many ships cleared for foreign ports.



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For Funerals  
Made up especially nice. Call  
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Gets Good Results Quickly.  
These few lines from J. E. Haynes,  
McAlester, Okla., deserve careful  
reading by every one who values  
good health: "I find no medicine  
which acts so mildly and quickly with  
good results as Foley Cathartic Tab-  
lets. They empty the stomach and  
bowels, giving all of the digestive  
organs a healthy action." H. P.  
Dunn, druggist. mwf

**The Making of Successful Men**  
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of men who make a mark for them-  
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By Ingersoll & Wieland  
SUBSCRIPTION RATES  
Per Month ..... Forty Cents  
Per Year, strictly in advance.....\$4.00  
Office in Dispatch Building on 6th St.  
Entered at the post office at Brainerd,  
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1918.



**THE WEATHER**  
Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:  
Slightly milder,  
Cooperative observer's record, 6 p.  
m.  
February 4, Maximum 1, minimum  
24 below. Reading in evening, 2  
below.  
February 5, Minimum during the  
night, 3 below.

**OUR WATER SUPPLY**  
At last a definite move has been  
made to provide us with a new water  
supply. We understand that the  
Water and Light Board has complete  
plans and specifications for a new  
source of supply, pumping station,  
reservoirs, stand pipe, and pipe lines;  
that the report has practically been  
adopted in its entirety, in fact, the  
purchase of the electric pumps intend-  
ed for daily service has been made.  
Meantime, in the spirit of economy,  
the new pumps will be put into ser-  
vice in the old pump house, replac-  
ing the present steam pump. No  
doubt this is a wise decision and the  
change will save Brainerd some mon-  
ey, but we have fears lest these pumps  
will never be taken out again and the  
use of stained river water will be  
continued indefinitely.

We have been advised that it will  
require about \$200,000 to build the  
new system contemplated. If Brainerd  
is to get all that is contemplated,  
the expenditure will be fully justified.  
No doubt in due time the plans of the  
Board will be fully explained to the  
public. It may be that war-condi-  
tions have put a damper on the Board,  
but where our health and safety are  
jeopardized—as they already have  
been for a long time, does it seem like  
a lack of patriotism to spend this  
money now and give us this service  
and convenience now? We think not  
and we would advise the voters of  
Brainerd to express themselves either  
to the Board or in the columns of the  
Dispatch. Public opinion expressed  
now will determine action now, as  
well as votes will later.

**BEST THEATRE**  
TODAY  
**CLOSED**  
Tomorrow  
Mary Garden in "Thais"

**The Making of Successful Men**  
**Pass Book**  
YOUNG men can  
consider with  
profit the important  
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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-  
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,  
gratefully received by the Dis-  
patch. Telephone North-  
west 74.

For Spring Water phone 264. tf  
E. W. Schmitt went to Fort Ripley  
this afternoon.

Store your household goods with D.  
M. Clark & Co. 129tf  
E. R. Smith went to Minneapolis  
this afternoon.

E. F. Niles of Merrifield was in  
Brainerd today.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month.  
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m  
Miss Susan Goedderz went to Little  
Falls this afternoon.

R. C. Jamison and D. C. Peacock of  
Duluth are in the city.

Both Staples and St. Paul trains  
were late this afternoon.

Mrs. Charles G. Osterlund of Deer-  
wood visited in the city today.

Harry Davidson was called to Win-  
nipeg, Canada, by the sickness of his  
mother.

Sheriff Claus A. Theorin has jailed  
C. E. Kierby, alleged slacker, in the  
Crosby jail.

For a first class job of Oxy-Acety-  
line welding go to Herbert Peterson  
at the Woodhead Motor Co. garage. 13tf

County Attorney S. F. Alderman  
went to St. Paul this afternoon to  
confer with the Public Safety Com-  
mission, etc.

Frank Milloch on the occasion of  
his sauer kraut day last week sold  
1000 pounds of spare ribs and four  
casks of sauer kraut.

Eyes examined, glasses fitted. Dr.  
E. E. Long, Ransford Bld. 179tf

District court has adjourned to  
Wednesday morning and court cases  
will then be taken up, the first being  
Hanna vs L. C. Bane.

Dispatch want ads cost but a small  
amount, cent a word the first time,  
half a cent a word thereafter. No  
ad for less than 15 cents.

Mrs. E. J. McMahon, Slipp block,  
hemstitching and picot. 181-1m

Y. M. C. A. war fund subscriptions  
of many people have installments due  
today and banks holding such sub-  
scriptions are anxious the payments  
be made.

The law firm of Mantor & Ebner  
has dissolved partnership but the in-  
dividual members thereof will con-  
tinue their practice, individually, in  
the same location.

But one man has registered with  
Chief of Police John D. Gile, at the  
time called for the registration of all  
German aliens and his name had lit-  
tle of a Teuton sound, John Peterson  
of Northeast Brainerd.

Young People, get your Commercial  
education now, and the problem of  
your future is solved. Make this  
Thrift Week one to be remembered by  
beginning one of our Courses, Brainerd  
Commercial College. 11

H. F. Michael, Miss Selma Anderson  
and Miss Anna B. Pils went to  
Chicago today to study styles and  
purchase for spring. Spring millin-  
ery openings are being held and Miss  
Pils will attend these.

Attending the Red Cross outdoor  
carnival at Staples Monday were Mr.  
and Mrs. G. S. Swanson, Alderman  
and Mrs. F. M. Koop, Miss Johnson,  
Nick Christoff, Miss Sheffield, the  
Misses Anderson, Miss Bacon and  
Sheriff Claus A. Theorin.

Dispatch want ads Monday evening  
measured close to three-quarters of  
a column. There were 8 help wanted,  
7 for rent, 6 for sale and 4 miscel-  
laneous wants. Telephone your  
wants to the Dispatch, Northwest  
74, or mail the ad or have it sent to  
the office. Ads are cash.

Hurray Skinny. The next Com-  
mercial Hop is coming off Friday,  
Feb. 8th. K. C. Parlor, and same  
music of course, with a lot of new  
hits. Last one before Lent, so don't  
forget the date. Let's make it a big  
one. 11

At the Y. M. C. A. Monday on heat-  
less day, the O. J. Bouma nine defeat-  
ed the George Berggreen indoor base-

**Neglected Colds bring Pneumonia**  
**CASCARA QUININE**  
The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine Cascara Quinine with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it. 24 Tablets for 25c. At Any Drug Store

# A Big Sale This Thrift Week

## On Waists

All Our Pretty Waists on Sale at  
Big Reductions

**Murphy's**  
THE STORE OF QUALITY

Coats On  
Sale

Dresses On  
Sale

## We Court Comparison

Of the GOODS we sell, of the PRICES we charge. And welcome any suggestions that may help us to serve the public better.

## Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

The Store of Dependable Hardware

N. W. 104

T. S. 332

## Do Something Better Than the Other Fellow---

## and ADVERTISE

Advertising cannot accomplish the impossible any more than barren ground can yield rich crop.

But how advertising does make things hum when the product and proposition are right, the men and methods above board, when there's an honest purpose and earnest effort from bundle boy to general manager to serve efficiency, to deal honestly, to sell good goods, to price fairly.

Oil up the machinery of your business, imbue your organization with the spirit of true service, make your business worthy of the good will, the confidence, the patronage of the people.

In this fertile field then sow the seed of advertising and it will bring forth abundant crops in increased business and augmented prestige.

Your store news in the Dispatch will be read in practically every home in Brainerd and vicinity every evening.

# BEST THEATRE

Today

Today

Closed on Account of Fuel Order

Tomorrow

Tomorrow

MARY GARDEN in

"THAIS"



## WOMAN'S REALM

## REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

## The Missionary Society of the First Congregational Church Reports a Good Attendance

The Missionary society of the First Congregational church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. E. P. Silpp, Monday afternoon, with a good attendance. The subject for study was "Schools of Japan" which included "Kobe Woman's Evangelistic School" lead by Mrs. Woodhead and "Glory Kindergarten," by Mrs. Dan Whitney. Others assisting on the program were Miss May Whiteley, Mrs. Alice White, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Miss Sadie Robinson and Mrs. Harold Webb.

The slogan adopted by the society for 1918 is "Our Utmost for the Highest."

A social hour followed at which the hostess served postum and government recipe cookies, the "Honey-drop Cookies," made from recipe given by Miss Sheldon, at "Parent-Teachers association meeting being in favor.

## Hotchkiss-Phone

A pretty wedding service was held at 10 o'clock Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hotchkiss, 421 So. Ninth street, when their daughter, Olive, was happily united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Alger E. Thon.

The ceremony was read by Rev. P. Alfred Peterson, using the beautiful ring service in the presence of a large number of relations and friends.

As the wedding party entered the room, Mrs. P. Alfred Peterson played Mendelssohn's wedding march. The bridesmaid, Mrs. David Nygren entered first, dressed in a suit of taupe broadcloth with hat to match, carrying pink roses. The groom followed attended by his best man, Arthur Thon. Then followed the bride on the arm of her father, who gave her away in marriage.

The bride wore a broadcloth suit of sea brown with a picture hat of gold lace, carrying brides roses. The service was simple, pretty and impressive.

After the ceremony a two course dinner was served. The rooms of the Hotchkiss home were beautifully decorated with carnations and roses.

The out of town guests were Mrs. Sam Watson and son Erwin of Browns Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hughes of Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Nordstrom of Pine River.

The bride is one of Brainerd's accomplished young ladies. She is a member of the Swedish Baptist church and a member of the choir. She is also vice president of the Young Peoples society.

The bridegroom is a prominent young man, employed as machinist in the N. P. shops. He is also a member of the Swedish Baptist church, pianist in the Sunday school, member of the choir and secretary of the Young Peoples society.

The young couple received many useful and valuable gifts from their admiring friends and relatives, and best wishes of every one who knows them goes with them on their journey through life together.

They left Brainerd on the noon train for the cities and Eau Claire, Wis., for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

## First Congregational Aid

The Ladies Aid of First Congregational church will meet with Mrs. G. D. LaBar, Mrs. G. E. Mitchell and Mrs. LaBar entertaining.

## Catholic Foresters

The Catholic Foresters Aid will meet with Mrs. M. E. Ryan on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

## Mothers' Club

The Mothers' club of the Lincoln and Washington schools will meet Wednesday afternoon, February 6, at the Lincoln building.



## Methodist Ladies Aid Society

Tomorrow, Wednesday, afternoon in the social rooms of the church, the Methodist Ladies Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. Dan Marken and Mrs. Gill Keene. The ladies are all invited. Visitors and strangers are cordially welcome.

## Degree of Honor

The Degree of Honor meeting will be called to order at 7 o'clock sharp this evening, Feb. 5 at Elks hall. Owing to a misunderstanding the Ladies Musical club is using the hall this evening so at 8 o'clock the Degree of Honor will adjourn to the small K. C. hall for their box social and drilling.

## Philathea Bible Class

Last evening the Philathea Bible class of the Methodist Bible school were very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Daniel Lawrence at her home 510 South Sixth street. This was the occasion of their monthly business meeting and a profitable time was enjoyed.

## Ladies Guild Meeting

The Ladies Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. L. Taylor, Bluff avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Burnette will entertain.

## LAW MEANS MUCH TO NATION

Effect of Child Labor Legislation Will Be Felt in Every Community in the Country.

The new federal child labor law will cost money.

It should mean saving on the part of all people.

It should mean more taxes for more schools and better schools.

It should mean extended efforts in communities where schools are not operated on full time, where teachers are not well paid, nor schools well equipped, and where poverty necessitates scholarships and other extraneous aid to the child. But this is exactly the effect that was hoped for when the law was advocated and passed—to take the children out of the factories and shops in the years when they should be getting a training which will fit them to be real producers, and to put them into the schools. If the schools are not adequate, then they must be made better. The very fact that they are not adequate shows that the law was needed in that community.

Our whole American standard of living is based upon universal education and universal opportunities. This law should grade up to a national standard those comparatively few sections of the country where Americans have apparently forgotten American ideals. It sends the children back into the schools, and it will surely create better schools where they are needed. For there has seldom been a time or a place in this country where the need for adequate educational facilities, clearly pointed out, did not meet with an immediate response.

(From the Committee on Public Information, Washington: George Creel, Chairman; the Secretary of State, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy.)

## STATESMEN RESPOND TO WORKERS' PLEA.

The British workmen asked their prime minister to tell the nation precisely for what objects its munition is suffering week in and week out a daily toll of casualties exceeding more than a thousand men killed or wounded.

Premier Lloyd George replied with a statement which fulfilled all their expectations in point of clearness and detail. President Wilson seconded the British premier with an exposition of American war aims which, it is asserted, leaves only a few loopholes for criticism of vagueness, and coupled with it a challenge to the central powers to make an equally plain reply.

## Many Trade Disputes Settled.

Mediation of trade disputes by representatives of the department of labor has been successful in keeping at work thousands of men whose labor is vital to the war program, according to a report covering the last three months made public by the department.

Insistence on a continuance of work during negotiations has caused a minimum of loss in the output of factories affected by the dispute.

In three months ended December 31 the department's good offices were invoked in 244 cases, including 117 strikes, 104 controversies and 23 lock-outs. Mediators settled 138 amicably and failed to settle only 6. Local agencies adjusted 18 cases before the department's mediators arrived. There remain pending 82 cases of recent origin.

## Labor During the War.

President Wilson did a fine thing when he made his direct appeal to labor. His words helped to clear the air. They showed how much could be accomplished by straightforward methods. And they were all the more admirable for emphasizing both what the country owed labor and what labor owed itself.

It has been estimated that the work of five persons in shops, factories, transportations and fields is needed to sustain one man in the trenches.

Instead of going down in human value since the war, labor has gone up.

For this reason, quite apart from the humanity involved, labor needs not less scientific protection than it had before the war, but more.—John D. Barry.

## New Australian Prime Minister.

Frank Gwynn Tudor, leader of the Labor party and a member of the house of representatives, will be the next prime minister of Australia. William Morris Hughes tendered the resignation of the nationalist government to the governor general as a result of the defeat of the conscription proposals.

Frank G. Tudor has for a considerable time been head of the Labor party, which was successful in defeating conscription, but this party is in the minority in the Australian parliament. It is believed that under these conditions the Tudor ministry will be short lived. But the political future is clouded.

## More Workers Needed.

There are 500 factories in the state of New York filling war orders, and these employ 261,117 persons. About 176 of these firms are calling for additional labor. Thirty-four thousand one hundred and fifty-five workers, a number equal to about 13 per cent of the existing labor forces in these industries, are called for indefinite terms. Skilled male labor is requested in nearly three fourths of the cases and woman labor in a little more than one-tenth. Unskilled male labor is wanted in only one-seventh of the unfilled jobs.

## SOLVING THE FOOD PROBLEM

TO A. D. WILSON,

Food Administrator for Minnesota,

University Farm, St. Paul, Minnesota:

I, the undersigned, make the following report of violation of the rules governing wheatless or meatless days, the offense being committed on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of February, 1918, at \_\_\_\_\_

street, number \_\_\_\_\_, City of \_\_\_\_\_ State of Minnesota.

I { was served\*  
was offered  
saw served } the following foods \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

As a loyal American, feeling it my duty to co-operate with the government, I hereby sign my name:

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City of \_\_\_\_\_

\* Strike out words not necessary.

A. D. Wilson, federal food administrator for Minnesota, has appealed for the co-operation of all citizens in bringing about the observance of wheatless and meatless days. At his request The Dispatch today publishes a blank form which may be used by anyone in reporting to Mr. Wilson violations of the rule which come to his or her notice.

## TRANSPORTS FOR 500,000

Ships Are Ready, Is Statement of Secretary Daniels.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Secretary Daniels has authorized the statement that the Navy is assured of enough transport facilities to make sure that there will be 500,000 American troops in France early this year, as was stated by Secretary Baker recently before the Senate Military committee.

He made the statement when informed that Secretary Baker's forecast for the number of men to be sent abroad was challenged in the Senate by Senator Hitchcock. He would not say whether the navy department's outlook for ships was such as to warrant the expectation of having 1,000,000 more men in France by the end of 1918.

Secretary Baker declined to comment in any way upon Senator Hitchcock's address.

## British Casualties Show Low Mark.

London, Feb. 5.—British casualties reported during the week totaled 6,354, divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 51; men, 1,525. Wounded or missing: Officers, 175; men, 4,805. This is the lowest week-total for many months.

## Eastern Mills May Close.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Closing of the New England textile mills from coal shortage is imminent, according to telegrams from the National Association of Woolen Manufacturers and the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers. The messages have been submitted to the Senate by Senator Gallinger. Closing would suspend making of thousands of army uniforms. Telegrams asked that navy colliers at once be dispatched to New England with coal to relieve the situation.

## Spring Blouses Novel and Eccentric



All sorts of eccentricities and novelties appear in the designs presented in new spring blouses. In order to meet that always insatiable demand for something new, not a thing that could be done to blouses has been left undone—except to lower their prices. These are high, when the more intricate models are considered. They involve a lot of hand work, so there is a reason.

Many women will welcome the high-necked, fastened-in-the-back blouse which appears among the handsomest lingerie models. Very fine voile, trimmed with narrow, fine Valenciennes lace and small, handsome pearl buttons, are old favorites worked out in new ways. An extended front panel is featured in these fine cotton blouses as well as those of crepe; this panel reaching several inches below the waistline, while the rest of the blouse terminates there in a narrow belt. One of the voile models has a panel with row after row of frills made of narrow lace, across it. Its long sleeves flare at the wrist and are finished with many rows of narrow frills made of the lace. Crepe georgette appears, somewhat less sheer than it has been, in the best

of models made up with real filet lace and further adorned with silk embroidery in self color. A pale tan color, with filet lace exactly matching it in color, employs a six-inch square of the lace at the top of the front panel. The neck in this model is open at the front like that in the blouse pictured.

Needlework, in which long stitches of silk floss, and beads, in rich combinations of color are very effectively used on blouses of dark colored crepe. Sleeves are very long, but the next excursion of the style reporter into the realm of blouses may discover shorter ones, there will be no telling what will be found then. Out of the mass of new material certain styles will crystallize as spring draws near. She who chooses fine cottons with lingerie laces and georgettes, in the simpler models, may select either high-necked, fastened-in-the-back blouses or those that fasten in the front and leave the throat uncovered, she cannot go wrong in either case.

Julie Bottomley

WHERE PRICE & QUALITY MEET  
**Lammon's**  
THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE

## Sick-Room Supplies

Cottons, Bandages, Plasters, Adhesives, Gauzes, Antiseptics, Ointment, Peroxide

An emergency outfit is a very necessary equipment for every home, traveling bag or trunk. It is hard to tell when such things will be required, so it is better to keep a stock on hand at all times. We sell the most complete line of sickroom supplies, and can fit you out with an outfit for home, hospital, workshop or factory.

## Park Theatre One Day Only

Sunday, Feb. 10

## Sherman Kelly Stock Co.

Offers

## "The Marriage Game"

A 3 Act Comedy full of Pep.

## THE BIGGEST KELLY HIT YET

Save butter, lard, suet. Have better food at less cost. Use

**MAZOLA**

Since Mazola is a vegetable oil it enables you to save butter, lard and suet in deep frying, sautéing, shortening as requested by Mr. Hoover.

And since it is pressed from golden American corn, you can be sure of its purity.

It is more economical than the old cooking mediums because it can be used over and over again—does not transmit taste or odor from one food to another.

Get Mazola from your grocer in pint, quart, half-gallon or gallon tins—the large sizes are the most economical. Also ask for the free Mazola Book of Recipes, or write us direct.

Your money refunded if Mazola does not give entire satisfaction.

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New York



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Minneapolis, Minn.

## It Pays Dividends.

Great books need hard, close repeated study, and are not to be skimmed over like current fiction. When the time which must in any case be expended on the mastery of the thought is subtracted, a modest knowledge of the language does not represent so very formidable an extra investment.

## FINE FOR RHEUMATISM!

Musterole Loosens Up Those Stiff Joints—Drives Out Pain

You'll know why thousands use Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives.

Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on!

Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50

**MUSTEROLE**  
WILL NOT BLISTER

## OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

## Desirable Steam-Heated Rooms

At the

## NATIONAL HOTEL

Thoroughly Cleaned and Redecorated

Prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Special Terms for Week or Month.

MRS. GAFFNEY, Prop.

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## Wednesday Only

Goldwyn presents  
For the first time on the screen the world's most popular and daring personality

**Mary Garden**  
in  
**THAIS**

from the famous novel by Anatole France

This Production Tells the Amazing Story of the Saint Who Became a Sinner and the Sinner Who Became a Saint.

## Best Theatre

Wednesday only—Matinee and Night Admission 15c and 20c Shows 7:30 p. m.; 9 p. m. 3 p. m.

"It's a Goldwyn Picture"



### Let Everyone Do His Share

A single strand in the cables which uphold the great Brooklyn suspension bridge is not very strong, but thousands of these strands bound together uphold one of the great thoroughfares of the world.

When our fathers and sons and brothers were called by our Country to take up arms in her defense, you did not hear an individual soldier refuse to serve because his service alone would not win the war. Each man was ready to do his part. The great army thus formed is going forward to face the fire of battle and to risk everything for the safety and security of our homes and our families, and for the very existence of our Country.

These are the men for whom you are asked to save and lend your dollars.

A Country worth fighting for is a Country worth saving for.

To save money is to save life.

### The Sherlund Company

South Sixth Street  
Brainerd, Minn.

### The BIG, NEW Meaning of National Thrift Week

The future of the nation and of the world depends this year upon THRIFT. Your effort is demanded by your government.

Start saving 10 to 20 cents a day now. A 20 payment life policy will help you.

### The Mutual Life of New York

### D. D. Schrader

District Manager  
Y. M. C. A. Building, Brainerd

### Let YOUR Dollar Fight

By practicing THRIFT this year you can help win the war and at same time help yourself.

We can help you if you come to us when you need clothing or shoes. Our prices are based on real value.

Buy War Stamps from Us for What You Save

### Johnson Bros. & Halberg

### G. W. Chadbourne

General Insurance,  
Rentals and  
Real Estate

Assets with union companies largest in the world. Policies in my agency are given prompt service.

List Your City Property Now

### G. W. Chadbourne

207 First National Bank Block  
Brainerd, Minn.

### NATIONAL THRIFT DAY

#### A Patriotic Celebration

National Thrift Day. February 4th this year has a new meaning. Thrift is a world factor urgent, important, upon it the future depends.

We don't want to frighten anyone unduly, but we don't want to let the fact escape anyone that this is the one time to buy your next years Winter Suits and Overcoats.

Be wise in time and buy for future needs.

### Bye & Peterson Co.

### Let US Demonstrate

How we can assist you in THRIFT WEEK. It is thrift to buy good goods. We are still carrying the

*Adlers Collegian Clothes for Men*  
*Indestructo for Boys*  
*Packard Shoes for Men*  
*LaFrance for Women*

In making your purchase of any of these brands of goods you will be getting value received for all spent.

Buy your thrift stamps at our store.

### John Carlson & Son

### AS A NATION LEARNING THRIFT

The Benefits of Thrift are Self-Evident, for to Save is to Have for Rainy Day

### FIRST WAR THRIFT WEEK

Reason, Common Sense, Self-Preservation, Demands that People Adopt Thrift Principles

As a nation, we are learning the lesson of Thrift and finding it well worth while.

The first steps in this direction necessarily have been acquired in the hard school of war. Increasing prices were not always met by increasing wages. The gap between income and expenditure had to be bridged. Sacrifice or save became the rule which many thousands today follow.

This change of the individual's view-point is gradual and therefore the more permanent. Instead of living up to the last penny earned, more and more Americans are thriftily putting pennies to profitable use. Ways and means have been found to avoid waste and extravagance, to save food, clothing and other necessities as well as that all-important item, money. Thrift, which was too long regarded as something mean and niggardly, is now held in high esteem throughout the country.

The annual celebration of National Thrift Week has played a large part in bringing about this new attitude. It has made Thrift easy to practice by providing a day when hundreds of thousands of people are thinking and in the rule for Thrift week observance. The habit need not be the saving of actual money. The essential is that some saving practice be begun, though, of course, many prefer to open or add to a bank account.

The benefits of Thrift are self-evident. To save is to have. Whether nickels or seconds or units of energy are saved, the saver is obviously the creditor, not the debtor, a person who has made provision for emergency.

Thrift week is being generally observed. It will be our first war Thrift week and there is evidence that Americans in greater numbers than ever before will observe the same with thrifty actions. Thrift,

indeed, is no mere service of self; it is service to the country—a form of patriotism in which every citizen can indulge.

Reason, common sense, self-preservation—call it by any other term, it you will—demands that the people of this country wake up this week in February with the idea of performing at least one Thrifty act. The result cannot but produce incalculable good for the individual no less than for the nation.

### WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Possible for Every Man, Woman and Child in Country to Secure Profitable Investment

In offering war saving stamps to the public the United States government has made immediately available for every man, woman, and child in the country a profitable, simple and secure investment.

The war savings plan is one by which you can lend to your government small savings at 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly, and can be done by purchasing war savings stamps and thrift stamps.

The war savings stamp is one for which the government will pay you \$5 on January 1, 1923, and costs between \$4.12 and \$4.23 during 1918, depending upon the month in which you purchased.

A thrift stamp costs 25 cents, to be applied in payment for a war savings stamp. It does not earn interest. The purpose of its issue is to enable people to accumulate in small sums the amount necessary to pay for a war savings stamp.

These can be bought at post offices, banks and authorized agencies.

Every dollar loaned to the government helps to save the lives of our men at the front and to win the war.

In Crow Wing county the people have bought \$4,000 war savings stamps and the sales are daily increasing as their purpose are more fully understood.

Phrase Drawn From Bible.

The expression, "He who runs may read," does not occur in the Bible in that form, but is drawn from the Bible, Habakkuk chapter II, verse 2, reads: "And the Lord answered me and said: Write the vision and make it plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it."

### ORDERS HEATLESS DAYS

Canadian Program Almost Duplicates That of U. S.

President May Have to Decide on the Continuation of Program in This Country.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 5.—The operation of manufacturing plants February 9, 10 and 11, as a conservation measure, is ordered by the cabinet on recommendation of C. A. McGath, Dominion fuel controller. The order includes all munitions plants. It does not apply to Western Canada or the maritime provinces.

The order follows closely along the lines of the American five-day closing order, and grants virtually the same exceptions.

Two Open Days for Clubs.

It also is provided that during the months of February and March all golf, yacht, canoe, hunt and country clubs must be closed except on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

For the present heatless Mondays are ordered only for theaters and other places of amusement. They must remain closed every Monday from February 18 to March 25.

Deadline on Fuelless Monday.

Washington, Feb. 5.—President Wilson may have to intervene and say when fuelless Mondays shall stop.

Dr. Harvey A. Garfield, the fuel administrator, who issued the closing order, will have a conference with William G. McAdoo, director general of railroads, to thresh out the problem. Indications are that the two men would deadlock on the question.

Dr. Garfield wants the order to remain in effect indefinitely. Director General McAdoo wants the order abrogated immediately and the program abandoned.

Fuel Administrator Closes Brewery.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 5.—The Hussa brewery at Bangor, 14 miles from here, has been closed by County Fuel Administrator D. W. MacWillie of La Crosse for alleged violations of the Monday closing order issued recently by Fuel Administrator Garfield.

Canada Sends Fish to U. S.

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—Eighteen carloads of fish have been shipped to the United States to aid meat conservation there.

### Stand By The Flag!

"The duty of every American today is to work with and for the Government."

Each individual can help—by avoiding waste or extravagance; by spending less and saving more; by practicing Thrift.

Beginning Monday, the day following February 3d, thousands will observe National Thrift Week by starting new thrift habits.

This Institution invites you to "do your bit" by opening or adding to a Bank Account here.

### Citizens State Bank

Brainerd, Minnesota

### Your Mite

Plus the

### Soldiers Might EQUALS VICTORY

NATIONAL danger has made efficient home operation necessary.

Many say the issue of our warfare hangs on our thrift. The widest opportunity to accomplish results in the practice of thrift is to be found in the home. We must live as efficiently as we work and under conditions equally favorable.

Start Saving Today

### Winnor-Adams Lumber Co.

### Why You Should Buy Them

THE main reason for the purchase of War-Savings Stamps is because your country is at War. Your country needs every penny which every man, woman, and child can save and lend in order to feed, clothe, arm, and equip the soldiers and sailors of America and to win this righteous war in defense of American honor and the cause of democracy throughout the world.

If we are to win the war, we must win it as a united people. The savings of every man, woman, and child are necessary if we are to hasten the victorious ending of the war. War Savers are Life Savers.

### Brainerd Hardware Company

### Thrift Week

THRIFT WEEK will help us win the War, if we start saving now. It will be easy to keep it up.

We Will Have THRIFT STAMPS at Our Store

### D. E. Whitney

### He Also Serves Who Helps a Fighter Fight

THRIFT in the home makes healthy, happy citizens. A thrifty household is prepared for the unexpected, and the unexpected seldom happens when it is expected. Every household that operates on a home budget goes from the debit to the credit side of Uncle Sam's ledger.

### Woodhead Motor Company

### Thrift Insurance

Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co.

District Agent

### Geo. A. Tracy

Iron Exchange Building  
Brainerd, Minn.

### FRIDAY Insurance Day

For from 8 to 10 cents a day you can own a One Thousand Dollar estate. See me

### L. HOHMAN

Agent Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York

### C. L. BURNETT

### Jewelry

Brainerd Minnesota

### For the LOVE of COUNTRY and SELF-PROTECTION

This year we know, as never before, the national and the personal importance of Thrift.

### National Thrift Week, February 3d to 9th will be Universally Observed

Everywhere people look forward to Thrift Week, which will be celebrated Feb. 3rd to 9th, as one for the starting of new Thrift habits.

A popular observance will be in opening or adding to Bank Accounts. This increases national surplus, means personal prosperity.

### First National Bank of Brainerd

### NATIONAL THRIFT WEEK IS HERE

The Week of Feb. 3d is National Thrift Week

It is a week for thought, to be followed by one of united action in starting some new Thrift practice.

No form of observance is more practical than opening, or adding to a Bank Account. And let there be also the determination to add regularly to that account throughout the year.

Every man, woman and child is expected to participate

### Brainerd State Bank

of Brainerd, Minnesota



## MAN OF HOUR, SHIPBUILDER

Ed G. Hall Enrolling Agent in Brainerd for Men Who Wish to Work for Government

### IN SUCH A CAPACITY

Enrollment Desired Now, So Government Can Classify Them and Call When Needed

The shipbuilder is the man of the hour in the United States. Application for enrollment in this class of service and in other lines of mechanical work will be received by Ed G. Hall, machinist of the railway shops.

The fact that a man enrolls does not obligate him to accept and neither does it obligate the government to offer the man a job. Examiners are to see all applicants and pass on their qualifications. The statement as to the number of men needed for shipbuilding means the men wanted during the next seven months. After that time the number may be greatly increased.

Concerning wages, a telegram from the Director of Public Information at Washington has just been received reading as follows:

"Cannot furnish data regarding wages for various classes shipbuilding, because changing so fast that anything said today may be different tomorrow. Also it varies in different parts of the country. Therefore, the Department of Labor is unwilling to give out figures and we prefer to have applicants get information from the Public Service Reserve, which should have all data necessary to give out."

The duration of service is a matter of contract between the employer and the employee, the employer being the shipbuilding company in the case of privately owned shipyards.

The government does not want men now to leave their jobs and start on the Pacific or Atlantic coast on the assumption of getting a job, but what is being done is to enroll these men, classify them and have their names and addresses and the work for which they are fitted compiled and ready, so that they can be called on when their services are wanted. The government cannot state when that will be. It should be made clear that applicants must not leave their jobs until they are notified when their services are wanted.

### At the Park Theatre

The Sherman Kelly Stock Co. with Sherman Kelly himself will play one night at the Park Theatre on Sunday, Feb. 10. The play selected for this special engagement is the "Marriage Game," a comedy in three acts. This is a comedy that will keep you in good humor for a month.

Never before have there been so many clever lines written into one play as there have been in the "Marriage Game." Mr. Kelly this season has surrounded himself with the very best talent money can secure and has done the most wonderful business in the history of his career. Clever vaudeville takes up all the time between acts.

### Railway Employees Take Notice!

All holding Certificates of the Benefit Association of Railway Employees are requested to attend the next meeting of Brainerd Division 28 Tuesday evening, February 5 at the Odd Fellows hall. Meeting opens at 8 p. m. sharp.

C. BRUHN,  
Sec. Treas.

## CAPT. KUNDSON MADE ENSIGN

Head of Salvation Army Corps Receives Promotion in Orders From Commissioner Estill

### LETTER PRAISES WORK HERE

Ensign Knudson Has Been in Brainerd Since July and Enlarged Work of the Army

Capt. Bernt Knudson, in charge of the Brainerd corps of the Salvation Army has been promoted to the rank of ensign by Commissioner Thomas Estill of Chicago. The latter in his letter to Capt. Knudson said:

"In recognition of the faithful and loyal service you have given to the Army, it affords me much pleasure to promote you to the rank of Ensign."

"I trust this additional mark of our esteem and confidence will be an encouragement to you in your arduous duties and labors for the good of others, and also an incentive to further acts of devotion and self-sacrifice in your work for our common Lord and Master."

Ensign Knudson has been in Brainerd since July of last year and has enlarged the work of the Army in Brainerd and kindled anew enthusiasm and a desire for service in the corps.

### MEETING POSTPONED

Trades & Labor Hall Occupied, State President of Labor Federation Hall Not Speaking

It was impossible to secure Trades & Labor hall this evening for a loyalty meeting to be addressed by E. G. Hall of St. Paul, president of the State Federation of Labor. The hall is rented almost every night and heatless Monday was no good date either and Secretary Lawson was wired that a later date would have to be chosen. He did not get the telegram in time to notify President Hall and the latter came to Brainerd today, prepared to speak at a labor loyalty meeting this evening.

As matters stand, a new date will be selected, probably February 18. The organized labor forces are making a loyalty drive all over the state. President Hall spoke at Cloquet, Monday night he spoke to the building trades at Duluth.

Next Monday he speaks at Hibbing and next Tuesday at Virginia.

Secretary-Treasurer G. W. Lawson is covering the southern part of the state in the interests of loyalty meetings.

February 12 has been set aside by the American Federation of Labor as Labor Loyalty Day.

## New York 7 Below

(By United Press)

New York, Feb. 5.—Street thermometers show from 4 to 7 degrees below zero.

## Gould Made Officer

(By United Press)

Camp Dix, Feb. 5.—Kingdom Gould has been made a battalion sergeant major.

### Beet and Wheat Food Value.

That there is more food value in one acre of beets than in four of wheat is the contention of German agricultural scientists.

## D. M. CLARK & CO. BUSINESS YEAR

Believe Thoroughly in Advertising and by Follow Up System Traced Many Sales To It

### GOOD BUSINESS DONE IN 1917

Fireless Cookers Sold First Season Proved Very Popular, Many Ranges Sold January

James H. Alderman, advertising manager of D. M. Clark & Co., general house furnishers, had the following to say upon past and future trade conditions and the results of persistent advertising.

"Yes, we believe thoroughly in advertising and can trace numerous sales directly to it. Although our profits on our merchandise for last year were smaller than usual owing to war costs, we enjoyed the largest business in our history and were able to save our customers a great deal by reason of having been fortunate in buying futures at old prices."

"We expect conditions to continue brisk and are prepared to meet them with the largest stock we have ever had."

"The merchant who does not use printers ink is, I think, behind the times."

"This was our first year with fireless cookers. We were startled with the immense number we sold and the number of inquiries we had regarding them. We handle exclusively the Durham Duplex fireless cooker."

"Our range business too was very good. We handle the Majestic and Hickory line. During the month of January we sold more ranges than we would ordinary sell in October, a range month."

### Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL

Basket Tossers Have Received Their New Suits, Play First Game On Tuesday, Feb. 5

The Y. M. C. A. basketball tossers have now received their new suits, and will play their first game tonight, February 5, in the gymnasium of the local Y. M. C. A. The Y. M. C. A. quint which is composed of several former high school stars and other players of unquestionable basketballing ability, is expected to give a good account of itself in its initial appearance. Their opponents will be the Stikeewaboo five, which is a strong team that has been recently organized. This team is composed of some very promising material and is capable of giving any team a run for their money.

This is the first of a series of basketball games to be played by the local Y. M. C. A., and the knights of the red triangle solicit the patronage of all basketball fans. All games held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. will be fast hard games and well worth the price of admission. The game will start at 8:15, the price of tickets will be fifteen cents, and everybody is urged to attend.

### 8,700 MINNESOTANS TO CAMP

Orders Issued to Begin Entrainment February 23.

St. Paul, Feb. 5.—Completion of the first draft call has been ordered. All remaining white men of Minnesota's current draft army quota, approximately 8,700, will be sent to Camp Dodge the last of this month.

Orders to this effect were received by Adjutant General Rhinow from Provost Marshal General Crowder. Entrainment is to be completed in the five days beginning February 23. Only white men are included in the order.

Every effort should be made, according to the call, to complete local division quotas from men placed in Class 1. To this end expediting of physical examinations is directed of enough Class 1 men to insure the desired number.

This order regarding physical examinations is, in some degree, a reversal of orders from General Crowder previously sent, calling for cessation of all such examinations pending receipt of new regulations.

Of this number Crow Wing county must send 104 men.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation —Adv.

## FISH CLOG THE RY. WATER TANK

Klondyke, Minn., Feb. 5.—Fish are clogging the intake pipe leading to the water tank of the Northern Pacific railway company and the caretaker has wired Supt. W. H. Strachan to send down an engine and 100 feet of hose so as to cook the fish and bring them to the surface with live steam and thus clean the well.

Incidentally, should that course be taken, there will be material on hand for one of the biggest fish parties in the state and invitations are being sought for the affair.

### "THAIS" ON WEDNESDAY

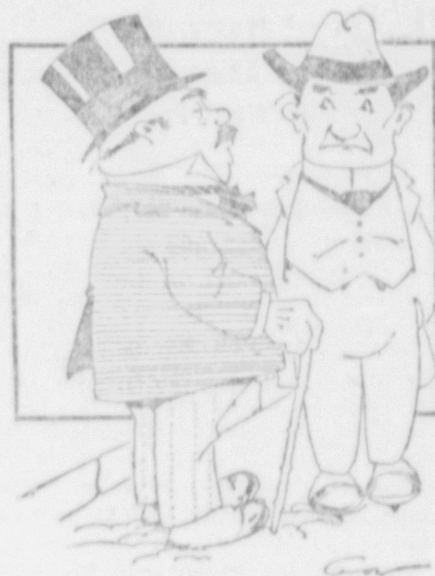
Masterpiece of Great Screen Drama to be Presented at the Best Theatre February 6

Of "Thais" to be presented at the Best on Wednesday, February 6, matinee and night, it is said the motion picture debut of Mary Garden in Goldwyn's film version of Anatole France's "Thais" has caused a nation-wide sensation among motion picture patrons and the reviewers of the metropolitan newspapers. The significance of the simultaneous release all over the United States and Canada of so unusual a production was recognized not alone by public and press, but also by competing theatres, where the biggest and most pretentious of rival productions were booked to try to stem the tide of popular interest.

The verdict of the newspapers of America is unmistakable. The press of New York City led off with a unanimous tribute to Mary Garden and the photoplay.

Sun—Mary Garden finds pictures an especially good medium. \* \* \* The production is staged lavishly and the supporting cast is excellent.

### CASH, TOO.



Congressman—Did you buy your present political position?  
Senator—Sure thing. I don't look like a deadhead, do I?

### The Difference.

The pessimist says things are wrong. And lingers as he seeks to blame. The optimist can sing a song. And keep on working, just the same.

### Stranded.

First Theoplain—I wonder if the ghost will walk this week.  
Second Ditto—There is one thing certain; if the ghost doesn't walk, we will."

Old Brainerd Resident Given Up By Physicians

"Given up by five doctors, my only hope an operation. I rebelled on cutting me open, as I am 75 years old. A neighbor advised trying Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble. I got relief right away. I had not eaten for 10 days and was as yellow as a gold piece. I could have lived only a few days but for this medicine." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Johnson's Pharmacy.—Adv.

### U. S. BOY DOWNS FOE PLANES

Seventeen-Year-Old Lad Brings Down Two.

Paris, Feb. 5.—Taking advantage of the fine weather members of the Lafayette Escadrille continued their brilliant exploits over the French front during the last few days, bringing down three German machines and losing none themselves. Corporal Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., son of the well-known American turman, Capt. Thomas Hitchcock, downed two enemy airmen within a short time of each other—his first victories in the air.

David E. Putnam of Brookline, Mass., brought down his third machine. Both Hitchcock and Putnam have been on the battle front less

# Off For Market

Our Mr. H. F. Michael, Miss Selma Anderson and Miss Anna B. Pils left for Chicago today to study styles and purchase for the spring. The spring millinery openings are being held and Miss Pils will attend these.

The manufactures of garments of New York, Cleveland and Chicago are now making displays of there styles in Chicago and Miss Anderson and Mr. Michael will purchase from these.

Our patrons may be assured that every effort is being exerted to bring to you the most authentic garments, millinery and fabrics to be found. Keep this in mind when ready to do your spring purchasing.

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The Fur Market is booming daily and skins are very scarce on the present business fields of today.

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Raw Furs are worth as follows:

Muskrats ..... \$1.60 to 35c  
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Mink ..... \$9.00 to \$1.75  
Red Fox ..... \$30 to \$7.00  
Weasels ..... \$1.75 to 30c

BEAR, WOLF, BEAVERS, COON, etc., are worth according to the fur, rare color and size.

Tallow ..... 9c to 19c per lb.

Sheep Pelts are worth as per weight, size and quality.

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Raw Furs and Sheep Pelts ship by express or Parcel Post.

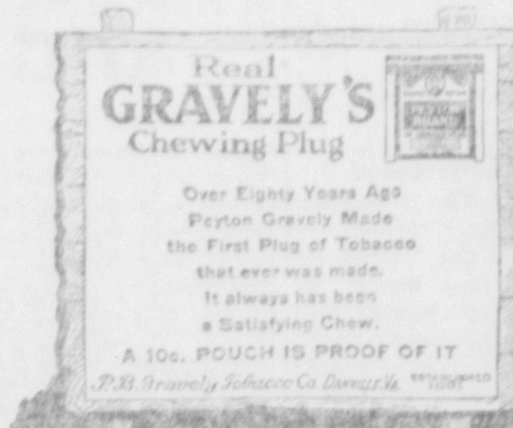
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## WHILE AT WAR

### Women Suffer at Home

St. Paul, Minn.—“When I felt that I should have something to build me up and give me strength, I started taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It seems to be just what I need as I am feeling better than I have for years.”—Mrs. STELLA WILLIAMS, 181 Pleasant St., St. Cloud, Minn.—“Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has been a favorite medicine of mine for years. It has been very effective in relieving me of liver trouble, and as a blood tonic to tone up one's system, there's nothing better. I can highly recommend this medicine for the relief and benefit it has given me.”—Mrs. THERESA SMITH, 711 14th Ave., South.



“Favorite Prescription,” the ever-famous friend to ailing women, and “Golden Medical Discovery,” the great general tonic, are both put up in liquid and tablets, contain no alcohol or habit-forming drugs, and are to be found in nearly all drug stores. The tablets cost 60 cents. These medicines of Dr. Pierce's have enjoyed an immense sale for nearly 50 years, which proves their merits as well as the statements made by users. If not obtainable at your dealer's send 10 cents to Dr. V. M. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will mail trial package of either tablets; also write for free medical advice, if there is need.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the liver and bowels have also been favorably known for nearly 50 years.

## WANTS

### HELP WANTED

WANTED—Porter. Ideal hotel. 1960-2021f  
WANTED—Second cook at the N. P. hospital. 1975-29513  
WANTED—Waitress at the Iron Exchange hotel. 1973-2051f  
WANTED—Kitchen girl at once. Inquire Garvey's Restaurant. 1944-1961f  
WANTED—Messenger boy over 16 years. Call Western Union. 1961-2021f

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 609 Kingwood St. 1908-1841f  
FOR RENT—5-room house. Inquire 607 S. 9th after 6 P. M. 1972-1871f  
FOR RENT—Flat at 1001 Oak St. Inquire at 723 S. 5th St. Phone 726-L. 1950-1901f  
FOR RENT—Furnished room, suitable for two gentlemen, 220 N. Broadway. 1691-1281f  
FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms down stairs. Enquire 1216 Sixth street south. 1976-20514  
FOR RENT—House at 213 N. 7th street. Modern except heat. Inquire F. A. Farrar, First National bank. 1847-1711f  
FOR RENT—Five room and three room dwelling on West Oak St. Apply to Henry I. Cohen, Iron Exchange Bldg. 1969-2031f

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two fine toned violins. Will be willing to give lessons to beginners. H. Clowes, 422 4th Ave. N. E. 1939-20616  
FOR SALE—Or will trade for Brainerd city property or land, a garage building 30x50 feet in Stewartville, Minn. Mrs. H. D. Eagle, 1107 Norwood St. 1761-1441f  
FOR SALE—Corner wooded 50-foot lot in N. E. Brainerd, at \$125.00, cash \$25.00 balance at \$10.00 per month. Brainerd State Bank. 1924-1881f  
FOR SALE—High power and geared racing roadster. Just the thing for some fellow who wants speed. Cheap for cash. Inquire or address “M.” Dispatch. 1811-1581f

FOR SALE—My home on Oak street, of six rooms and store room. Good basement, good barn, an abundant supply of water for all purposes, and five acres of land. Reasonable price. Easy terms. Dennis Mahoney, Palace Hotel. 1980-2071f

### MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Experienced lady stenographer desires position. Address “E. P.” care of Dispatch. 1974-2051f  
LOST—Pocketbook containing \$23.75 and key ring with four keys. Return to Con O'Brien's store for reward. 1977-20613  
TO EXCHANGE—120 acres of land within 1/2 mile of Philbrook, Minn. 45 acres cultivated, good soil, to exchange for desirable Brainerd residence property. W. W. Michael 506-R. 1978-206 16

**Beet Root and Turnip Diet.**  
Beet root and turnips are ancient articles of diet, and it is interesting to recall what the Roman satirist Martial thought of them. Beet root, he tells us, was the worker's meal, and he condemns it as insipid, wine and pepper being needed accompaniments, but he highly appreciates turnips. These seem to him very ambrosia, for Romulus feasts on them in heaven.

## BAKER SCORED BY NEBRASKAN

Secretary Hitchcock Makes Attack on War Secretary's Recent Statement.

### SAYS WILSON BETRAYED

Salon Brands Secretary's Statement Regarding Readiness of American Troops as Wholly False and Preposterous.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Senator Hitchcock, Nebraska, renewed demands in the senate for further co-ordination of the nation's war efforts by declaring that the War department is “better equipped with brakes than with motive power” and that chaos has resulted from other departmental work.

Secretary Baker's recent statement to the Senate military committee that the United States would have half a million soldiers in France early this year and that prospects were not unpromising for ships to carry a million more were characterized by Senator Hitchcock as “absolutely preposterous and . . . so exaggerated as to convey an entirely false impression as to what we can do and what we are doing.”

President's Attitude Unfortunate.

“The President has announced he does not want the committee to report the cabinet bill, and if press reports be true he objects to even a discussion of this legislation in the Senate,” Senator Hitchcock stated.

“This attitude on the part of the President is unfortunate, but not altogether unnatural. The President belongs to the school of political philosophers who adhere to the belief that all important legislation should originate with and be proposed by the executive to the legislative body.

“I cannot subscribe to this scheme of government, although it has obvious advantages in that it provides leadership, order and program.

“Since he became President, Mr. Wilson has enforced his views on Congress in a large degree and generally with good results. Now and then, however, there must be exceptions. Hears Only One Side.

“I agree with Senator Chamberlain that the President does not know the whole situation. He cannot give two months to investigation, as we have done. Like a king, surrounded by his court, he hears practically only one side. The people who complain do not reach the President, nor even members of his cabinet.

“Shall the Congress not be permitted to amend defective machinery? Cannot one of its great committees be permitted to report its conclusion on a pending bill? Shall the Senate be even prohibited from discussing bills?”

“I cannot believe our duty to the country will be performed by such weak abdication of responsibility. To use a slang phrase, ‘It is up to us.’”

### Specific Charges.

Senator Hitchcock charged specifically that—

The War department has fallen down in most of its important functions.

Secretary Baker's efforts to correct defects in his department would be futile.

The transportation system has fallen down and is a “gigantic wreck.” There is no power to co-ordinate transportation across the Atlantic and production here.

Lack of proper directing authority has resulted in the present fuel situation. The present condition of our shipbuilding is “nothing less than shocking.”

Efforts to move food for our Allies and ourselves have miscarried.

### Williams Replies.

A torrent of bitterest reproach was turned on the Nebraskan when John Sharp Williams, senator from Mississippi, in replying, charged that the attacks that had been launched upon the administration were pro-German in their origin. The proposed war cabinet, the Mississippian compared to the committee of asses that almost ruined Lincoln.

There is more of it to come. Friends of war cabinet and munitions director legislation, determined to go through with their fight, have completely disregarded the request of the President, that the bills be killed and debate brought to a close.

### New Hungarian Party Grows.

Amsterdam, Feb. 5.—The Hungarian constitutional party, headed by Count Andrássy and the United Independence party, the leader of which is Count Apponyi, has decided to join the new government party according to a Buda Pest dispatch to the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin.

U. S. Congressman Addresses Italians.

Milan, Feb. 5.—The Italian parliamentary union captured Captain Fiorenzo M. La Guardia, representative to Congress from New York, who was on his way to the American headquarters in France, and had him speak at a monster mass meeting here. His auditors, numbering many thousands of persons, including senators, deputies and members of patriotic associations, who vociferously declared themselves in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the war. Premier Orlando was unable to be present

## Sailor Commander of Russian Armies



Ensign Krylenko, the Bolshevik commander of the Russian armies, is here shown in the first photograph of him to reach the United States. He was raised from an unimportant place in the navy to take charge of armies he knew nothing about. One of his statements was “We shall not be cannon fodder that allied imperialists may celebrate the victory. We shall fight for the revolution and the revolution alone.”

### READY FOR GREAT TEST

Baker Says Allies Are Prepared on West Front.

Forces Held Superior to Those of the Enemy in Men and Guns With Americans on Line.

Washington, Feb. 5.—In his weekly military review Secretary Baker says Germany is stripping all her other fronts for the coming struggle in the west. In the face of this crisis the Allies are preparing, he says, having numerical superiority both in men and guns.

Warning the nation not to let reports of strikes and other internal disturbances in Germany slacken its war preparations, Secretary Baker also makes the official announcement that American troops are at last holding a portion of the actual battle front.

For the first time also Secretary Baker declares that it is fully believed the Allies have a preponderance of men and guns on the western front, despite the fact that the German line has been strengthened by troops from the Russian field. Secretary Baker declared the reports of the numerical superiority have been spread by the enemy himself.

### Americans on Battle Front.

In reviewing the operations for the week ending February 2, Secretary Baker says:

“American troops which have now completed their training are occupying a portion of the actual battle front. The operations in which our troops have been engaged were of a minor character.

“On January 20 the Germans attempted a strongly pushed raid against our line for purposes of identification. Under cover of a heavy mist the enemy was able to reach our advanced positions. A short brush ensued and the raiders were compelled to withdraw in haste, after inflicting slight casualties.

“Two days later the enemy apparently attempted another reconnoitering thrust, but was dispersed before any headway could be made.

“Our patrols have been active in No Man's Land and our scouts have made themselves familiar with details of the hostile positions opposite them.”

### Heavy Earthquake Nauseates People.

Revelstoke, B. C., Feb. 5.—Several severe earthquakes were felt here, each shock lasting for about 30 seconds. The movement was so marked that many persons experienced a feeling of nausea.

### Airplane Falls; Cadet Dies.

Houston, Texas, Feb. 5.—Wyles B. Bradley of Mount Vernon, N. Y., flying cadet at Ellington field, was burned to death when his plane fell 30 feet, the gasoline tank exploding.

### Strict Regulation.

Freeman was visiting at his grandpa's home, and as he was a mischievous little chap, was constantly being told, “Don't do this,” and “Don't do that.” Finally, with a look of disgust on his face, he climbed up into a chair and asked, seriously, “What can a fellow do in this house, anyway?”

### DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Minneapolis Grain.  
Minneapolis, Feb. 5.—Oats, May, 79½c; May rye, \$2.12.

Chicago Grain.  
Chicago, Feb. 5.—Corn, March, \$1.27½; May, \$1.25½; Oats, March, \$3¼c; May, 80¾c.

South St. Paul Live Stock.  
South St. Paul, Feb. 5.—Estimated receipts at the Union Stock Yards: Cattle, 2,100; calves, 500; hogs, 8,200; sheep, 800; horses, 150; cars, 198.  
Receipts for the day by loads as follows: Burlington, 1; Milwaukee, 35; Omaha, 24; Great Northern, 40; St. Louis, 16; Northern Pacific, 41; Soo, 31. Total, 198.  
Cattle—Steers, \$11.00@11.60; cows, \$7.50@8.00; calves, \$10.50@12.25.

Chicago Live Stock.  
Chicago, Feb. 5.—Arrivals of cattle and sheep were not so numerous as had been looked for. Hogs—Receipts, 41,000; strong; bulk, \$16.25@16.65; mixed, \$16.05@16.70; heavy, \$16.69@16.70; rough, \$16.00@16.20; pigs, \$13.25@15.50. Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; firm; native steers, \$8.65@14.25; stockers and feeders, \$7.50@10.60; cows and heifers, \$6.50@12; calves, \$9.50@16. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; firm; wethers, \$10@13.50; lambs, \$14.75@17.85.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.  
Minneapolis, Feb. 5.—Creamery extras, per lb. 47c; extra firsts, 46c; seconds, 44c; dairy, 39c; packing stock, 36c.

EGGS.—Fresh prime firsts, new cases, free from rots, small, dirties, and checks out, per doz. 57c; current receipts, rots out, \$15.90; checks and seconds, doz. 32c; dirties, candied, doz. 32c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY.—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 22c; thin, small, 10½¢; 12c; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 14c; hens, 4 lbs. and over, 20c; hens, under 4 lbs. 16c; ducks, 18c; geese, 16c; springs, 20c; stagsy springs, lb. 18c.

### U. S. Girl in France Risks Life.

With the American Army in France, Feb. 5.—Under the heading, “A Brave American Girl,” a Nancy newspaper publishes in a quarter of a column on its first page the story of how Miss Marion Mitchell, a young American chauffeuse, without regard to her personal safety, extinguished a fire which broke out in a garage where many trucks were stationed, the blaze threatening to cause a big loss. While the flames were leaping toward large tanks of gasoline, she fought them with water without calling for help.

### Billiard Balls.

Billiard balls are turned in the rough and kept in a warm room, sometimes as long as two years. Then, after shrinking, they are turned again.

### New Flash-Lamp.

A practicable flash-lamp without a battery has been invented by utilizing a tiny magneto-generator driven by a spring and clockwork.

### Ambitious.

Mrs. Microbe (on a \$10 bill).—Climbers! They actually started on a bad penny and have climbed to the fringe of real society.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

## STRIKE LEADER GIVEN 5 YEARS

German Socialist to Be Imprisoned in Fortress For His Activities.

### RIOTERS RESUME WORK

Backbone of German Strikes Believed Broken by Military Court Martial Law Effective in Many Places.

Berlin, Feb. 5.—As the result of a trial by extraordinary court martial on the charge of inciting to high treason, resistance to public authority and transgression against participation in the general strike, Wilhelm Dittman, the radical socialist deputy, has been sentenced to five years' confinement in a fortress.

### Strike Believed at End.

London, Feb. 5.—From the meager accounts of the economic situation in Germany reaching neutral countries—and they are meager to a degree—the general strike that prevailed throughout the empire last week has virtually ended. Apparently the hard hand of the military authorities had much to do with the breaking up of the movement on the part of the workers, whose full energies are required by the government at the present moment to aid in the prosecution of the war, for even their leaders are reported to have advised the men to return to their work.

The proclamation of martial law in Berlin and throughout Brandenburg by the military commander evidently had its full effect, for with the threat of summary court martial and execution staring them in the face, the strikers carried out no disorders in Berlin Saturday, like those earlier in the week.

### Industrial Centers Quiet.

Industrial quietude now seems to pervade the entire country except at Jena, capital of the Duchy of Saxe-Weimar, where new trouble has arisen. It is not improbable that the strike here has been engendered by sympathetic feelings on the part of the numerous students in this educational center.

That under the surface the political waters in Germany and Austria-Hungary still are disturbed is indicated by the announcement that the German and Austro-Hungarian foreign ministers and General von Ludendorff, chief of the German war lords, next to Von Hindenburg, are to meet in close conference in an endeavor to bring about an amelioration of the tense economic and political conditions affecting Germany and the dual monarchy and doubtless lay plans to combat the peace views and desires of large parts of the populations in the two countries.

### BLAMED FOR HALIFAX BLAST

Captain and Pilot of Steamer Mont Blanc Held.

Halifax, Feb. 5.—Capt. Alme Lamedie, who commanded the French munitions ship Mont Blanc, and Frank Machey, the pilot, who brought it into the harbor when it collided with the Belgian relief ship Imo a few minutes before the disastrous explosion on December 6, last, will be given a preliminary hearing at once on the charge of causing the death of William Hayes, pilot of the Imo.

The men were arrested after the Drysdale commission of inquiry had reported that the explosion was brought about by the failure of the captain and pilot “to observe the rules of the road.”

Commander Wyatt was relieved as chief examining officer of the port, was found guilty by the commission of neglect of duty in that he had not taken proper steps to ensure the enforcement of port regulations and to keep himself fully informed as to the movements and intended movements of vessels in the harbor.

### HOLD THREAT OVER KAISER

British Want Two Airmen Released From Prison.

London, Feb. 5.—The Daily Mail announces the government will not make reprisals unless Germany releases from prison immediately two British air pilots who recently were sentenced by a German court martial to 10 years' imprisonment for dropping propaganda pamphlets inside the German lines.

A communication forwarded to Germany through the Dutch government denies international law was violated and adds that the Germans adopted this practice early in the war.

### Sister Gets Sammie's War Cross.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 5.—The cross of war of the French republic, awarded to Thomas F. Enright, private in the American expeditionary forces in France, who was killed with two of his comrades in the first engagement between the United States troops and those of Germany, has been received by his sister, Mrs. Mary Irwin of Pittsburgh. Accompanying the medal was a photograph of the little cemetery in France in which were buried the first American dead. The photograph shows Private Enright's grave.



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